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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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GROSSM	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MACK CALI REALTY CORP [CLI]								(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner										
C/O MAC COMMER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2003									X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Executive Vice President									
(Street) CRANFORD, NJ 07016				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City))	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu							Acquir	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
(Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Yea		te, if	3. Tra Code (Instr.	or D		ecurities Acquired (ADisposed of (D) tr. 3, 4 and 5)		d (A)					6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	of Ind Benef Owne	neficial nership	
							Co	de V	Amo	int (A)		Price					(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		12/15/2003				M	1)	1,50) A	\$38	3.75	58,1	19			D		
Common	Stock		12/15/2003				S	1)	1,50	0 D	\$40).3599	56,619			D			
Common	Stock		12/16/2003				M	1)	8,50	0 A	\$38	3.75	75 65,119		,119		D		
Common	Stock		12/16/2003				S	<u>1)</u>	3,50	D 0	\$40).25	61,619			D			
Common	ommon Stock 12/16/2003					S	<u>1)</u>	5,00	0 D	\$40).2949	56,619			D				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transac Code	ats, ca	Securities Acquired, I calls, warrants, option 5. Number 6. Date E Expiratio			Dispose ons, conv Exercisa ion Date	on Date of U Day/Year) of U Secu			Y Owned Title and Amount Underlying Equities			9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securi Direct or Indi	ship of Be tive Over ty: (In (D) rect	(Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expir Date		Title		Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.75	12/15/2003		M ⁽¹⁾		1,50	0	12/31	/1997 [©]	12/1	2/2007	Comi Sto		1,500	\$38.75	32,332	D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$38.75	12/16/2003		M ⁽¹⁾		8,50	0	12/31	/1997 [©]	12/1	2/2007	Comi Sto		8,500	\$38.75	23,832	D		

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GROSSMAN MICHAEL C/O MACK-CALI REALTY CORPORATION 11 COMMERCE DRIVE CRANFORD, NJ 07016			Executive Vice President				

Signatures

/s/ Michael Grossman	12/17/2003
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The reporting person obtained and sold the Common Stock as a result of the cashless exercise of Employee Stock Options.
- (2) On December 12, 1997, the reporting person was granted an option to purchase 51,832 shares of Common Stock. The option vested in five equal annual installments beginning December 31, 1997.

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